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The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk South Carolina Public Service Commission Post Office Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE:

dPi Teleconnect, LLC, Complainant, v.BellSouth Telecommunications,

Incorporated, Defendant/Respondent

Docket No. 2005-358-C, ELS File No. 536-11404

Dear Mr. Terreni:

I am writing to inform the Commission that I will be representing dPi Teleconnect, LLC in this proceeding. Because of my recent involvement in this Docket, I am also requesting that the Commission, Hearing Officer and/or Docket Staff (as appropriate) grant dPi an extension of time to file testimony beyond the current due date (today) in order to allow the parties to conduct a telephone conference with the Hearing Officer to discuss possible schedule amendments for the purposes of allowing discovery to take place in this Docket.

I have discussed these matters with attorneys for BellSouth and the ORS, and these parties do not object to the parties conducting a telephone conference with the Hearing Officer as outlined above.

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By copy of this letter, I am copying all parties of record in this proceeding and enclose my Certificate of Service to that effect. Please stamp the additional copy of this letter and return it in the enclosed envelope.

Very truly yours,

John J. Pringle, Jr.

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Christopher Malish, Esquire [via electronic and first-class mail service] RECEIV

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BEFORE

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IN RE:)
dPi Teleconnect, LLC, Complainant/Petitioner v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Defendant/Respondent)) CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE))

This is to certify that I have caused to be served this day, one (1) copy of the **January 18, 2007 Letter to The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni** via electronic mail service and by placing a copy of same in the care and custody of the United States Postal Service (unless otherwise specified), with proper first-class postage affixed hereto and addressed as follows:

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